

WASHINGTON, DC—Representative Steve Driehaus today announced \$3,023,688 in U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) funding for greater Cincinnati as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). The investments will flow through the Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program, which supports a wide range of crime prevention and control efforts and improvements to the criminal justice system.

“An important part of this recovery legislation was helping state and local communities preserve jobs. We rely on the government to maintain public safety and carry out law enforcement, and I’m pleased that these investments from the stimulus package are going to help our local law enforcement agencies continue their critical work,” said Rep. Driehaus.

President Obama and Attorney General Eric Holder announced \$2 billion in stimulus funding for law enforcement today, with more than \$61 million designated for Ohio. According to the DOJ, communities in the First Congressional District will receive funding according to the following breakdown:

- Cincinnati - \$2,418,209
- Hamilton County - \$195,435
- Butler County - \$88,022
- Golf Manor - \$12,637
- Lockland - \$13,508

- Mount Healthy - \$10,022
- North College Hill - \$34,860
- Norwood - \$67,324
- Reading - \$23,531
- St. Bernard - \$11,112
- Springdale City - \$24,838
- Forest Park City - \$32,246
- Delhi Township - \$19,391
- Springfield Township - \$72,553

More information about investments in public safety and the recovery legislation is available at recovery.gov.